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**AMONG THE CHURCHES****SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH.**

At 9:30 the Sunday school held an interesting and well attended session. At 11 o'clock the pastor, Dr. Bacote, preached a fine sermon on "It Is More Blessed to Give Than to Receive" to a large congregation. At 2:30 the funeral of Brother John Minor was held, the Rev. S. W. Bacote officiating. In the evening Dr. James Anderson, field secretary of the National Baptist Convention, unincorporated, preached on "But None of These Things Moved Me." The Mission Circle met at the home of Miss Fay, 9th and Michigan, last Friday afternoon. The Friendship Club held a very interesting session at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Montgomery, 1120 East 11th street. On Christmas morning the church will hold its annual five o'clock services. A special sermon and special music will be rendered for the occasion. The public is invited to attend all of our services. Come and bring a friend.

**ST. STEPHEN'S BAPTIST CHURCH.**

Rev. J. W. Hulse preached a soul-stirring sermon at 11 a. m., and the funeral of Mrs. Jennie Howard was held at 1 p. m. Praise service at 3:30 by the Morning Star Baptist Church. Communion services at 8 p. m., conducted by the pastor. The B. Y. P. U. exercises 6 p. m. December 24, Christmas tree at 8 p. m. and concert praise service 12 M. Program by the choir, 4 a. m. Preaching by the pastor. Everybody welcome. Come early and stay all night. Josephine Walker is still on the sick list. Henry Kinner is very ill. Dr. Hulse spent a few days out of the city last week and conducted the funeral of Mr. B. P. Gaines's brother at Marshall, Mo. Brother Henry Preston is still sick. Annie Hall is on the sick list. The clubs will serve dinner and luncheon until the services close Tuesday morning.

**ALLEN CHAPEL.**

Last Sunday was Quarterly meeting day and all services were well attended. In the morning Dr. A. A. Gilbert delivered an excellent sermon. Dr. W. T. Osborne of Ebenezer occupied the pulpit in the afternoon and delivered a very inspiring Communion sermon. At night stereopticon views of the "Last Supper" was presented by the minister. The singing was by a full choir of 40 voices. The Love Feast and Class Meeting held jointly Monday night was filled with inspiration.

Rev. T. H. Wiseman and wife will give a recital in Allen Chapel Thursday evening, January 3d, under the auspices of Douglass Hospital Club for the benefit of the trustees. Do not miss the Christmas morning service, which begins at 4:45. Come and bring a friend. The pastor is always glad to meet friends and strangers after each service.

**EBENEZER A. M. E. CHURCH.**

A large and appreciative audience was in attendance all day Sunday at Ebenezer. The special sermon on "How to Have Good Husbands," delivered by Rev. Osborne, met the hearty approval of the audience. Collection for the day was \$133.85. Three additions. Sunday is Quarterly meeting at Ebenezer. Rev. Griffen of the First A. M. E. Church, Kansas City, Kas., will deliver the sacramental sermon. The Missionary Society put a \$69 range in the parsonage; also presented \$50 to the trustees. The Who-So-Ever-Will Club cleared \$25 at their social Wednesday evening. Bishop H. B. Parks was a guest at the parsonage during the week-end stay in the city. Mrs. Ola Sewell, president of the W. S. E. Club, presented the trustees \$17. Fifty girls and boys will play "Jack and Bean Stalk" at the church Friday, December 28; Mrs. Osborne, directress. The Missionary Society meets every Wednesday afternoon at the parsonage. The Sunday school is growing in numbers and interest; also the A. C. E. League. All members and friends who have penny cards will please remember that the final report is January 16. Miss Minerva Akins received a solid gold lavaller for bringing in the most pennies in the first report; Mrs. Bass, kid gloves; Mrs. Dimery, silk waist; Mrs. Cora Stevenson and Mrs. S. Moore, fine leather purses.

**DONATION TO ORPHAN'S HOME.**

Three dozen pairs of stockings were donated to the Orphan's Home children from the Health Hall fund presented by the H. C. G. Club, Mrs. Etta Kenyon, matron; Miss Marie Wilson, president. Committee: Alberta Bean, Dathional Hunter, Mary Ridley, Gloyd Wilson.

We hope someone will fill all these stockings with Santa Claus for Christmas.

**KEEP OFF THE DATE  
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 28TH**

That's when all of Ebenezer and the friends of Ebenezer want to see "Jack and the Bean Stalk," played by fifty girls and boys under the direction of Mrs. W. T. Osborne at the Church, 16th and Lydia. Thrilling climaxes will be scored by Charley Singleton as "Jack," Florence Robinson as "Jack's" mother, Boatner the giant, Edith Greenlee as Madam Giant, Elizabeth Dimery, the fairy, Earl Braden and Carrol Nealey, butchers, Onetha Mitchell and Jessie Martin, representatives from the Conservation of Food Headquarters. Other leading roles are being sung by Hortense Dimery, Esther Johnson, Hermonia Clay, Louise Watkins, and little Charles Gates. The Chorus work by ALL the children is exceptionally good, also the dialogue parts. Mrs. Osborne and the children are working hard to give the public a real literary and musical Christmas treat. Charging only 15 cents for a 35-cent play. Encourage the children by purchasing their tickets and help us raise \$100.00 for Ebenezer. You will miss a great entertainment if you miss seeing these children.

Mrs. Osborne, Instructor.  
Mrs. Belle Jones, Pianist.  
Master Maurice Johnson, Violinist.

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Mr. Nelson C. Crews,

Editor The Sun:

Enclosed find check for my continued subscription to The Sun. I should like to add that of the four Negro newspapers, including yours for which I am a subscriber, I find The Sun nearest my ideal, for its depth, logic, patriotism, both national and racial, and above all, for its conservatism. I should dislike to miss a single copy of it. May you and your paper continue to prosper ever increasingly. Hoping on and your staff a very hearty Christmas and a happy New Year, I am, Very sincerely yours,

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The colored people of this city, assisted and advised by many prominent white people, will launch a campaign, beginning December 8 and continuing twenty days, to raise \$25,000.00 to purchase and equip a permanent home for the Wheatley-Provident Hospital for colored people.

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**Note:** We have closed a deal for the Catholic school property at 1826 Forest avenue. It is a large, commodious stone building containing 20 large rooms IN THE HEART OF THE NEGRO DISTRICT, splendidly located and admirably suited for a Negro hospital.

It will require \$25,000 to pay for and equip this property. Can't we get it? Bell Phone East **999.** Home Phone **Special.**

Mrs. T. G. McCampbell, President of Federated Clubs, will have charge of our annual Tag Day, Dec. 22.

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